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In re Application of:)

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Serial No. 09/892,024)

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For: Aryl Fused Substituted
4-oxy-Pyridines)

Before the Examiner:
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Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED NOVEMBER 5, 2002

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Responsive to the Office Action mailed November 5, 2002, the Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the patent application identified above in view of the following amendments and remarks.